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Thinking Out Loud

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While the Japanese are perpetuating the familiar atrocities of war upon Chinese cities, bombing and machine gunning unarmed men, women and children, and the Spanish insurgents and loyalists are hard at the work of butchering each other, armed or not, and all the world hovers on the brink of another bloody deluge, there is to be found a grain of comfort here and there in efforts and influences that make for peace.

Lord Baden Powell, founder of the Boy Scout movement, and the world's Chief Scout, in bidding farewell to the 28,000 boy scouts assembled in a world encampment in Holland, pleaded for world peace and good will. These boys of the many different nations represented there, associating in this great gathering, surely cannot go home with anything but a feeling of friendship for their fellows. Nationalistic schools such as those instituted in Germany, Russia, Italy and Japan, cannot kill all those seeds of comradship which have been sown in 28,000 boyish hearts.

Again there are Rhodes scholarships that each year enable two score or more of American youths to enter Oxford. These young men are carefully sifted as regards scholar ship, sterling character, ahd qualities of leadership, so that they represent the very best in American life. These men, of course, function as a peace factor between England and the British commonwealths, and the United States. But the training they receive gives them a broad tolerant outlook upon world affairs that really fits them for leadership in the work of fostering those international relationships that help the cause of peace.

Rotary International is rapidly extending its sphere abroad and at home and this is also a factor that, in time, will help to establish peace. The fellowship of intelligent men drawn together in great international conventions is an aid to breaking those prejudices and racial antagonisms in which war is rooted. The Rotary also promotes correspondence between students in the secondary schools of all countries and these letters exchanged between the youth of one nation with another, assist in developing understanding and good will.

We have a high respect for Secretary of State Cordell Hull, who, by reciprocal treaties, is slowly leveling tariff barriers that have served to thwart and balk nations which are not so well endowed with natural resources as is the United States. We suspect that long after the New Deal administration has been forgiven and perhaps forgotten, the work that Hull is doing will be remembered and recorded in history, as one of the mile stones on the road to world peace. For "so shines a good deed in a naughty world."

We live too close to our times and the conditions that prevail to form unbiased judgments such as those that historians are able to pronounce after the mists of Time have lifted. It may be that those who cry that President Roosevelt is beggaring rich men and pauperizing poor men, live so much among trees that they cannot see the forest. But assume that the President is really concerned, sincerely concerned, in making the lot of the "common man" better and happier in this country, it would follow logically that he is also concerned in helping the rest of the world a little way toward that high standard that American civilization has attained. Because, when entire nations suffer from the lack of vital necessities, it is hardly possible to provide American citizens with what seem to them necessities, but which our fathers a generation ago would have looked upon as silken luxuries. In other wods unless there is a sharing of the world's good things, unless they be made available to all, those who for one reason or another are now denied them, will prefer war to deprivation.

At any rate, we are glad to give the New Deal administration credit for the work that Secretary Hull is doing in promoting world peace by means of gradually lowering tariff barriers, thereby making it possible for nations, naturally less well endowed to sell the thing, they produce to us, and in turn to buy our products at prices they can afford to pay.

Pete Flowers of Alleghany was a business visitor in Nevada City yesterday.

Nevada County's 1936 Gold Output $8,785,099

The annual report of the U. S. Bureau of Mines just released reveals the fact that Nevada county gold and silver production towers above that of all other sections of the state. Nevada county in 1936 produced $8,785,099 in gold and $374,010 in silver. Sacramento county, which at times has almost equalled the gold output of Nevada county dropped back to a low second place in the list of gold mining countise with total production of $3,983,985, and Adamor was third with a production of $2,614,235 gold.

The output of gold, silver, copper, lead and zinc from California ores and gravels in 1936, in terms of recovered metals was 1,077,442 fine ounces of gold, 2,103,799 fine ounces of silver, 8,762,000 pounds of copper, 964,000 pounds of lead and 16,000 pounds of zinc, according to Charles White Merrill and H. M. Gaylord of the United States Bureau of Mines, Department of the Interior. The total value of the metals increased 25 per cent in 1936 to $40,191,110 compared with $32,242,872 in 1935 thus exceeding any year since 1862. Compared with 1935, three metals showed increases as follows: Gold, 187,012 ounces or 21 per cent, silver 912,687 ounces or 77 per cent, and copper 6,807,000 pounds or 348 per cent; decreases were shown in lead, 170,000 pounds or 15 per cent and zinc 306,000 pounds or 95 per cent.

The total ore gold talings, and other lode material sold or treated in California was 4,635,691 tons, compared with 3,337,773 tons in 1935. Total figures showing the quantity of gravel handled at placer mines can not be compiled because very few small scale opeators were able to furnish data. Dredge (connected bucket, dragline, and dryland) operators, however, treated 79,146,000 cubic yards of material in 1936 compared with 75,114,314 yards in 1935; they accounted for 82 per cent of the placer gold in 1936 and 77 per cent in 1935.

Gold accounted for 94 per cent and silver 4 per cent of the total value of the five metals. Increases in output were recorded in most of the counties of the state. Plumas county output rose over four fold due to expanding operations at the Walker copper mine and Kern county almost doubled its production. Nevada county continued to be the leading producer of the state by contributing one quarter of the total output of the state. Sacramento county was the only important producer to show a decline. The decline there was caused by the sinking of a large dredge early in the year, but the boat is being replaced. As in former years almost all of the lode gold was rceovered from dry and siliceous gold ore.

JAMES BRADY DIES WHEN CAR STRIKES POLE

James Brady of You Bet died shortly after being taken to the Jones Memorial hospital Wednesday afteroon following an automobile accident.

Brady, with Riley Dodd driving and Paul Barry in the rumble seat of a Chevrolet coupe, was returning to You Bet from Grass Valley Wednesday afternoon when the machine left the highway pavement on Colfax evenue in Grass Valley and crashed against a telephone pole. Brady was thrown against the windshield smashing the glass and was pitched out of the car. Dodd and Barry remained in the car as it slid down to within a few feet of Little Wolf Creek. The exact cause of the accident is not known. Brady died shortly after being taken to the hospital. Barry has several fracttured ribs. Dodd was treated for cuts and bruises.

Brady is a brother of Tom Brady of You Bet, a miner and caretaker of the You Bet and Red Dog mining company.

Deputy Coroners Howard Edwards and Stanley Mitchell and Highway Patrolman Arthur Barrick and City Officer Fred Williford conducted indidivual investigations of the crash.

The body is at Holmes Funeral Home and at the time of going to press funeral arrangements had not been made.

REFUNDING PLAN NID RATIFIED BY LARGE MAJORITY

Ratification of the Bond Refunding plan of the Nevada Irrigation was effected Wednesday when the district cast the overwhelming vote of 152 to 8.

Under the plan the interest rate on the outstanding refunding bonds will be reduced from 4 to 3 per cent and to the maturity date of the bonds will be delayed on July 1977. Eighty per cent of the bond holders previously had approved the plan.

Mrs. J. J. Gibbs, who purchased the Beightol house on Grove street and has remodeled it, leased the property and has gone to Jamestown to reside. Mrs. Gibbs is the sister of Mrs. Will Holland and has made friends in this city who will be sorry to learn of her departure.

LONDON, PARIS THEME OF COVEY TALK AT ROTARY

Earl Covey, president of Grass Valley Rotary, completed his series of talks on his recent trip abroad at yesterday's' luncheon of the Nevada City Rotary. He discussed his experiences in Paris and London. He stated that he was unimpressed by Paris. Buildings were generally old and smoke begrimed. The tomb of the Unknown Soldier affected the speaker when he visited it, as the thought came to him that his remains, just as well as the body of the man that reposed therein, might, but for a fortunate chance, have been there.

Covey visited the Opera and saw Maurice Chevalier in one of his happiest plays. On obtaining a seat, however, he was "gyped," the ticket seller insisting that he was selling him the last $3.50 seat, when as matter of fact there several hundred vacant seats unsold. Ushers had to be tipped two francs before they would seat anyone.

The World Fair, much advertised throughout the United States, was in a great state of confusion when Covey arrived in Paris, only the Swiss and German buildings having been completed. It is expected that it actually be finished by the first of October.

In London Covey visited Buckingham palace, saw the change of the palace guard and was admitted to some of the apartments in that historic and rather ugly edifice. He was much interested in visiting the Selfrige department store, second largest in London, and established by an American who received his training in Marshall Fields in Chicago. The store employs 5,000 persons, with other stores belonging to the Selfrige firm, but under different names, a total of 14,000 persons is employed. Selfrige spent $100,000 on coronation decorations for his great department store, and has since sold them to firms in India at a profit of $10.000.

He visited the country church yard where Gray wrote his immortal "Elegy", and sat in the same pew in church that Gray once occupied. He also saw in this church the pew that was occupied by William Penn. Descendants of this founder of Pennsylvania still occupy the same pew.

Eton college was another famous spot he saw, and though the boys at school there do wear their Prince Albert coats and silk hats on gala occasions, in their ordinary days they are clothed much as any boys are in school anywhere. **Boys are educated there only from the years of 11 to 19. Anthony Eden, England's foreign minister is a graduate.**

OLD MEXICO IS VISITED BY NEV. CITY TRAVELERS

J. V. Hubbard and daughter, Miss Juanita Hubbard of this city, returned Tuesday August 10, from a 6,500 mile trip into old Mexico going as far as Mexico City. Leaving Nevada City they went through Nevada state. They visited Brice Canyon, Zion Parks and North Rim, and Yellowstone National Park. In New Mexico they called on friends at Chino Copper Company mine. There ore is handled by steam shovel from an immense open pit.

From El Paso they went down the Rio Grande river to Laredo, Texas, on the Mexican border which is 764 miles from Mexico City.

The labor situation in Mexico was found to be unsettled, the communistic emblems, hammer and cycle, are seen on houses in different places. Mr. Hubbard stated that the government does not allow use of any new inventions which will displace labor. In case a domestic servant is dismissed she must be paid three months in advance.

Millions live on practically nothing, a few chickens, pig, a little corn, a few sheep. The weather is always mild and shacks are of bamboo or grass. An ancient, primitive form of citizenship prevails in the country, while Mexico City is as up-to-date as Chicago.

Mexica City is 7,500 feet high and it was noticable that people hurry everywhere. Traffic was a "blow the horn and go system" but the stop and go system is being installed. It is hard to get about through the crowded streets with the poor traffic methods. Streets are narrow and traffic is often one way with three lanes going in the same direction.

They found Mexico City was not as warm at it is in Nevada City and Grass Valley. Mexico City has the most beautiful opera house in the world. The Diego Reivera murals in the National Palace were deeply fascinating portraying historical facts of ancient Mexico from Aztec time on. The home of Cortez has been restored by two Mexican girls and is used as an inn.

The city of Tesco, which retains the old world Spanish type buildings and customs has been made into a national monument. Anyone building a home must follow the old designs.

Mr Hubbard stated that the sight og a young Mexican girl trotting along the road to market with a heavy burden on her back impressed him greattly. She had a strap about her forhead to steady the load, and on one shoulder a large fuzzy ball. At her side was a spinning wheel and she was spinning thread as she went along losing no time. She spun a fibre from the maguay plant which would be used in making clothing and rugs. The juice of the maguay is used to make several strong drinks. The plant has many other uses.

The only hot weather encountered on the trip was through Texas, Arizona and Southern California. It took nine days to return home from Mexico City.

RICHARD TRATHEN IS NEW MAYOR OF G. V.

At last Tuesdays meeting of the Grass Valley city council, Mayor John Harris, unexpectedly and with out explanation, handed in his resignation to the council.

Richard Trathen, hoistman at the Pennsylvania mine and fourth ranking candidate at the municipal election in May was appointed to the vacancy.

Miss Florence Meservey of Oakland is spending two weeks vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. W. E. Meservey at Town Talk.

Edward C. Uren, and B. L. Eastman spent several days in Trinity county inspecting mining properties near Weaverville and Hayfork.

MINUTE MELODIES

(Songs of Northern California)

STAR GAZING

(Nevada City)

I lie upon my back and ask
If stars can really, really be
Just silver freckles shining on
The face of blue Eternity?

ROY GRIFFITHS DEETER.

Wrest Is Convicted of Dynamiting Fish

Thos. Wrest was found guilty of blasting fish in the middle Yuba last evening by the jury, which took five hours for deliberation. There were two witnesses to the actual dynamiting, Horace W. Bayse and grandson. Other witnesses in the case failed to corroborate any of the statements of Bayse. The jury however believed those two.

Wrest deposited bail, $500 cash, and was released. Time for sentence was fixed at next Thursday.

Bayes testified that he saw Willard Mattteson and Wrest stoop over a pool and slide something into the water, and then retreat from the spot. Presently a water spout arose.

Bayes declared he then stepped forward and accused the two of blasting fish and declared he would report them, as he subsequently did. Matteson, who, for some reason, was not arrested along with Wrest, though Bayes testimony would indicate that both were implicated, on the witness stand flatly declared that Bayes had no dynamite and did no dynamiting.

Game Warden Earl Hiscox testified that three days later he visited the scene and found dead fish, large ones still well preserved in the bottom of one of the pools. He also produced a stick of dynamite he had found in the water, that had failed to explode, but his testimony failed to show that these incidents had any connection with the guilt or innocense of Wrest.

Attorney W. E. Wright for the defense called Mr. Gilbert and Eugene Browning and finally the defendant, Wrest to the stand. Browning's testimony was to the effect that he had accompanied Wrest on his trip to the mines of Davis and Meloy where he expected to deliver a wire cable for mining purposes and did deliver a welding torch, and on the trip and during the time he was with Wrest, he saw no dynamite in the car or later. Gilbert testified to seeing dead fish in the stream as did all the witnesses, some estimating that there were two hundred or more there.

Wrest stated that he lived in Nevada county for the past four or five years, that he was a mechanic and had worked in garages and was now engaged in selling mining machinery. He had denied his guilt, submitted to arrest and had secured bail following his arrest. He stated that on July 16 he had, while waiting to see his client, picked up a 32 rifle in the Gilkey house and had practiced shooting with it. He said that he brought over some ammunition to leave with the owners of the gun, and, taking the gun had made practice shots along the river, which it was inferred, Bayes had heard and mistaken for dynamite blasts in the river. However, Bayes stated while he had been on the stand that he had seen no gun, and Wrest stated he had left the gun lying on some rocks when he was accused by Bayes of dynamiting fish and through the subsequent argument.

Eugene Bowning, employed by Wrest as a helper, apparently was not seen by any of the other witnesses since no questions were asked to develope such testimony.

In closing District Attorney Stoll referred to this fact. The boy, though no relative of the accused, was in his employ, and it was possible, he stated that this fact might have influenced his testimony. The district attorney called attention to the defendant's admission that he had picked up four or five of the dead fish and had taken them home. He indicated that he must have known that these fish had not died of anything to make them unfit food, else he would not have taken the trouble to carry them home.

Attorney Wright declared that there was no evidence of any kind that Wrest did any dynamiting. If West was guilty he asked, why was not Matteson, equally guilty since Bayes testimony implicated both. He called attention to Bayes statement that he saw the two men slide something into the water. If they were really setting off dynamite he contended the two could have thrown the dynamite into the pool. Wright maintained that Bayes could not have heard the dynamiting if it had been exploded, for the reason that the water would have completely smothered the sound.

The jury consisted of the following: Louise Polglase, Frances Eilerman, Carl Hieronimus, Mrs. Minnie Wright, Paul Kemper, Forrest Peard, DeWitt Lotz, Fred E. Conner, Allan Huson, Carrie Pingree, Jack Campbell, and Walter J. Buts.

ATHLETES TRAIN FOR INTER-CITY SWIM-EVENTS

The swim meet between Nevada City and Grass Valley athletes scheduled for Sunday afternoon at two o'clock in the Pioneers park pool, promises to be one of the big events of the summer season. Verle Gray, life guard and pool manager states that Nevada City boys and girls are assiduously practicing every day with the hope of carrying off the honors in the contest.

BOYS

The schedule of events follows:

One hundred yards, free style in classes A and B.

Four men relay, in classes A and B.

Fifty yard free style in classes A and B.

Fifty yard breast stroke in classes A and B.

One hundred yard breast stroke in class A.

Medley race in classes A and B.

Fifty yard back stroke.

Diving in classes A and B.

Diving classes A and B.

GIRLS

Fifty yards free style.

Fifty yard back stroke.

Fifty yard breast stroke.

Medley race, three laps.

TRANSPORTATION FOR JR. COLLEGE STUDENTS READY

Arrangements for the free transportation service between Nevada county and Auburn for students of Placer Junior College at Auburn have been completed by the board of trustees of the institution, according to Dr. John H. Napier, Jr., principal.

The bus, a new Ford V-8 with a seating capacity of 40, will leave Nevada City at 7:30 a. m. each school day for Grass Valley. At Grass Valley a stop will be made at 7:50 a. m. for students. This schedule will bring the group to Auburn fifteen minutes before the opening of the school.

On the return trip, the bus will leave Auburn at 4:30 p. m., stopping forst at Grass Valley, and proceeding to Nevada City. Time details of the return trip have not been worked out, since the load will determine this to some extent.

The time of the return trip is fixed to meet the needs of students who may desire to participate in extra curricular activities, such as athletics, journalism and dramatics.

These students will finish their class work at 2:30 p. m. daily, and engage in sports, journalism, dramatics and other recreational activities as long as they desire, before the time set for the departure of the school bus.

For those out of town students who do not desire to participate in extra curricular activities, the library service of the school will be available until the bus leaves at 4:30 p. m.

Placer Junior College will open for the fall semester on August 30. The first two days will be devoted to registration and class instruction will commence September 2.

FORESTRY SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

E. Prichlin, out of the San Francisco office, is conducting a school of instruction for supervisors and assistant supervisors of the Tahoe National Forest at Big Bend Ranger Station. The work has been going on for two weeks and will possibly continue all this week. Supervisor DeWitt Nelson, of the Tahoe National Forest with headquarters in Nevada City, is attending the meetings.

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Tenement Waifs

The problem of what to do with Mary and Johnny during vacation does have its harrowing moments, but it's simple compared to the desperate plight of the poverty-stricken kids of New York's East Side who want to play and have nowhere to go except to the scorching paving-stones.

A few days ago 10-year old Lorraine Chinchar and her chum, 9-year old Marilyn Murphy, children of the tenements, found a grand place to escape the heat and traffic of the streets—the tenement roof. Then they decided to play on the roof of the tenement next theirs. There was only ten inches separating the buildings and besides, there was a netting between them.

But the netting was rusty wire and paper. The little girls plunged five stories down the shaft. A young interne, lowered into the shaft, picked up the lifeless body of Lorraine. The crumpled, still-conscious form that was Marilyn was wedged too tightly to move.

"You're a brave little girl," said the interne to Marilyn, giving her a sedative.

"I'm not going to cry," she whispered. "'I want my mother."

Later a squad of policemen battered an opening through a brick wall to rescue the stout-hearted waif.

When the bluecoats picked her up, enough strength lived in the broken body of Marilyn for her to murmur a soft "Thank you" to her rescuers before life flickered from her pale, smiling lips forever.

We applaud the stalwart courage and sweetness that lived in that little girl, but we in the west should give thanks as well that we need not fear stark tragedies of the tenements under California's open skies, with our parks, playfields and innumerable recreational areas.—Contributed.

Goose-Step

Germany's millions of school children submit this fall to a new pre-fabricated account of world history, cut, trimmed and tailored to the Nazi specifications contained in a just published teachers' handbook.

Pre-digested chunks of Nazified history will inform Germany's youngsters of such new "truths" as that the Jews ruined Egypt, turned Palestine the land of milk and honey, into a desert waste, and overthrew the Roman Empire.

That history is made of events that have already happened is no obstacle to the leaders of New Germany. If they say events didn't happen the way an enlightened world believes they did, woe betide the bumptious teacher or pupil who dares to think differently. Unless of course, this said bumptious person has such an over-developed curiosity he wants to find out how it feels when the silk-hatted, white-gloved executioner administers the cool, shining blade of a steel axe across his neck.

In a goose-stepping, totalitarian state, it's a silly goose that steps out of line with a cocky ruffle of his feathers and some show of independent spirit. He is as good as dead, and so are his companions if they dare so much as to grieve for the loss of their brave, but foolhardy friend.—Contributed.

From Aunt Sarah

Cold meats on hot days! Sometimes we tire nf the regular cold sliced meats, then the moulded meats make a delightful change. Try ham or chichen mousse and watch the family sit up.

Ham Mousse

Dissolve one tablespoon gelatin in one-quarter cup cold water and add ¼ cup hot water. Add 2 cups chopped cold boiled ham. Add one teaspoon mustard and ½ cup heavy cream. Turn into a mould, chill, take from mould, garnish with parsley and serve in slices. Cold boiled veal or chicken may be used instead of the ham.

More vegetables! That's the everlasting plea of the dietician, the old standby's need a little dressing up now and then—try.

Parsley Potatoes

Six potatoes.
Two tablespoons butter.
Two tablespoons finely cut parsley.
One half teaspoon salt.
Pepper, few drops lemon juice.

Peel potatoes and cut into small cubes. Boil until tender in small amount of water. Drain and toss in remaining ingredients and heat thoroughly. Care should be taken not to break the potatoes in handling. Sprinkle lemon juice over just before serving.

Creamed Peas and Carrots

One cup dried carrots.
Two cups peas.
One cup milk.
One teaspoon salt.
One tablespoon butter.
One tablespoon flour.
Paprika to taste.

Boil carrots and peas for twenty minutes in small amount of water. Make a white sauce of remaining ingredients and pour over peas and carrots in serving dish. Sprinkle paprika on top.

L. F. Utter of Los Angeles, who is interested in the Arctic mine north of Washington on Canyon creek, is a business visitor in this city. The property adjoins the Mt. View.

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Feather River Highway To Open

Beauties of the Feather River country and the 1939 Golden Gate International Exposition are inviting Californians to attend the opening of the spectacular new Feather River Highway on August 14. Caravans from Oroville and Reno will join in celebrating completion of the new year-round highway, and there'll be a gala banquet at Oroville Friday night. The girls are, left to right, Barbara Ashworth, Gloria Hefner and Afton Bernard.

After nine years of difficult construction involving spectacular conquest of engineering obstacles, the Feather River Highway section of State Route 24 will be dedicated and opened next Saturday, (August 14.)

Providing a new scenic through route an interstate and transcontinental connection for motor travel, completion and opening of the highway will be the occasion for a jubilant celebration, according to a California State Automobile Association report today reviewing the program.

Officialdom of California and Nevada, governors and highway officials of both states, civic organizations and good roads leaders, and residents of cities and towns along the route of the highway will join in acclaiming the event. L. B. O'-Rourke of Blairsden is general chairman of the celebration committee.

Festivities will begin with a banquet Friday evening at Oroville. Fred Huntington, president of the Oroville Chamber of Commerce, will preside. Guests of honor will include Governor Frank F. Merriam and a representative of Governor Richard Kerman of Nevada; Earl Lee Kelly, director of the California Department of Public Works; Charles H. Purcell, State Highway Engineer; Fred Hasselwood, district highway engineer; and members of the California highway commission.

From Oroville Saturday morning, through decorated streets, a motor procession headed by Governor Merriam will proceed out along the highway to Grizzly Dome to join in dedication ceremonies there with a similar delegation from Nevada. The combined groups will proceed to Quincy and later to Reno for ceremonial programs at both places. On Sunday at Portola a rodeo will feature a program expressing the holiday spirit that will prevail throughout the Feather river region in celebration of the new highway.

PUBLIC LIBRARY LEADS IN JULY 1741 VOLUMES

Mrs. Iva Williams, Nevada City librarian reports for July as follows:

Books borrowed for home use, 1741; fiction 1301; juvenile 329; miscellaneous 111; books borrowed from state library 4. Visitors to reading rooms 1004 men 267, women 143; boys 311; girls 281; borrowers 1074; total attendance 2098. Daily attendance 80.

Cards issued 20 adult and 11 juvenile; cards cancelled 4 adult and one juvenile, present registration 1143.

Books purchased 16; books donated 3; present accession 10542.

Books purchased this month are, "North West Passage," Kenneth Roberts; Envoy Extraordinary, E. Phillips Oppenheim; Victoria, Four Thirty, Cecil Roberts; I've Been to London, Temple Bailey; Doctor's Wife, Maysie Greig; Enchantment, Anne Duffield; Ferment, John T. McIntyre; The Moon and the Wind, A. P. Carroll; The Corpse in the Derby Hat, Howard Swiggett; Hard to Get, Arthur Somers Roche; The Tramp, Elizabeth Jordan; The Fifth Horseman, Robert W. Chambers; Hold On To Love, Barry Caldwell; The Return to Religion; Henry C. Link; The Accident Ward Mystery, Rhode Traux; Recapture the Moon, Sylvia Thompson. These books were donated by Mrs. Grace Himes, they are, Flaming Forest, and Swift Lightening, James Oliver Curwood; and Escape, Phillip MacDonald.

Money collected, fines, $3.75; rentals, $28.10; total, $31.85.

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REV. ETHEL DUNCAN REVEALS UNUSUAL POWER

Reverend Ethel Duncan, the "Good Samaritan of the Air," ordained minister and dispenser of good and kindly philosophy, is enjoying a "rest" in Grass Valley and Nevada City. By "rest" Reverend Duncan means that she has played truant from sacks of mail, the clatter of the typist battery she employs in stenographic work, and the daily 24-hour duty to which she has been accustomed in Los Angeles and southern California cities. In "resting" in the twin cities Rev. Duncan only maintains visiting hours daily at her residence at the Blight Apartments, South Auburn street, Grass Valley and delivers a few sermons weekly at the Congregational Church in Grass Valley. The "spare time" this interesting woman has is spent in study of the Bible and writing new sermons.

Some startling revelations have been made by Rev. Duncan in answer to queries given her by Nevada City and Grass Valley residents.

The talented radio speaker who became famous through her power of question reply, possesses a strange "something" which she herself can not define. This power has been a development since early childhood and hundreds of people have located missing articles, learned of ailment diagnosis, cures been re-united with relatives, etc.

Besides this marvelous ability Rev. Duncan is a talented, forceful speaker whose sermons are colorful and intellectual. Packed congregations have greeted each and every appearance in Nevada City and Grass Valley. In another section of this paper will be found an advertisement listing the sermons to be delivered by the visiting pastor at the Congregational church.

Thru the Knot Hole

A Glimpse of Building Activity

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Contractor Bob Steger is working on repairs on the High School in order to put things ship shape before school opening.

Bestile Jobs are always satisfactory. The latest is an installation of spring green for Mr. Max Weiss on Washington street. This bathroom installation and other modernizing work is being done by Contractor Lee Day.

Painting Contractor Burt Spicer is using Murphy paint throughout on the new Sheldon home on Nevada street. He states that it is very free working—has fine coverage and makes a paint job that is difficult to equal. Bill Forkner is the general contractor on this construction.

With the temperature up around a hundred here Contractor Ralph Cochrane had to start the Rose Bar school at Smartsville to get it ready for fall school term. Latest reports are that his carpenters are not suffering from cold after having been up at Lake Tahoe.

Do not forget that insulation will help make you comfortable in hot and cold weather. We can tell you about Palco Bark, Board insulation. Rock wool and many other kinds. Better call us now.

Old colored mammy: "I wants a ticket for Magnolia."

Ticket agent (after ten minutes of wearily thumbing over railroad guides:) "Where is Magnolia?"

Old colored mammy: "She's settin' over dar on de bench".

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CHIEF LANDLORD IN CALIFORNIA IS THE STATE

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 12. — The state of California is the chief landlord of the state.

More than two million acres of land once owned by prviate individuals has reverted to the state for nonpayment of taxes, a survey made by State Controller Harry B. Riley shows. There is also in excess of one hundred thousand city lots, both improved and unimproved, which the state now owns.

A large amount went to the treasuries of the cities and counties, which receive the money paid to redeem land from tax sales. The lion's share of redemption money went to Los Angeles county, about $2,500,000 said Controller Riley. Several times this amount will ultimately be received by the counties, as most redemptions are made on the ten-payment plan. This permits redemptions by paying one tenth of delinquent taxes, and all current taxes, to be paid each year.

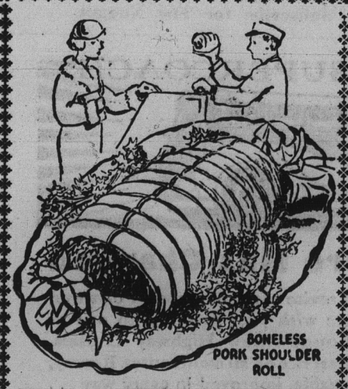
Land on which taxes remain unpaid is "sold to the state' the first four years, then deeded to the state when taxes are unpaid for the fifth successive year. Administration of tax deeded land has been vested in the Controller since 1870.

In 1928, a normal year, there were one hundred and seventy five thousand sales to the state and twenty thousand deeds to the state; in 1932 this increased to three hundred and twenty one thousand sales and fifty-five thousand deeds; this year it dropped to one hundred and seventy eight thousand sales but deeds to the state for land lost in depressions years rose to seventy thousand.

Redemptions have shown a 25 per cent increase in the last year, Controller Riley stated. Agents of the controller in charge of leasing tax deeded lands report that as many as seven out of every ten parcels investigated are redeemed by their former owners. The state does not want the land, Riley emphasized, and assists owners wherever possible. The sole interest of the state, he said, is to restore this property to tax rolls for local taxation.

Cities and counties last year received from redemptions, as a result of the controller's investigation: Imperial, $6,600. Orange, $6,000. Los Angeles, $2,500,000. Kern, $1,000. Dinuba, Tulare county, $4,000. Sacramento, $1,700. Total $2,519,300.

Controller Riley pointed out that the owner can redeem his land after the deed to the state, and urges owners not to part with thir title with out investigating their rights.



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CAMPTONVILLE

CAMPTONVILLE, Aug. 12.—Fred YYore and son John Yore, cattlemen of Oregon House was in this section Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Erle Pauly arrived Friday night from Oakland on a week end visit with relatives here.

James L. Joubert returned a few days ago from a couple of months trip into Montana where he was employer on a mining exploration trip.

Mrs. M. A. Ramm of San Francisco has been visiting Miss Roby Godfrey at Galena Hill for the past few weeks.

Miss Dorothy O. Hays and aunt Mrs. Irene Bishop returned Saturday from a weeks visit with relatives at San Francisco.

H. A. Benthusen moved from Pike City to North San Juan on Monday after doing some mining in the Pike section.

Luke Ramm returned a few days ago from a several days trip into Nevada and Arizona.

'POWER' FEDERAL STAGE DRAMA FILLS THEATRE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—San Francisco theatre goers filled the Alcazar to the last row in the gallery this evening and hundreds were turned away when "Power," the Living Newspaper play, drama of modern industry and a new type of theatrical presentation, had its San Francisco premiere. The play was enthusiastically received. It is outstandingly the best presentation yet done by the San Francisco Federal Theatre project.

"Power" outlines in unmistakable terms the importance of electrical current in the every day life of all Americans. Its drama consists, in part of an exposition of the manipulation of big business in its efforts to corner and control electrical output and the effect on the consumer.

No angle has been overlooked by the compilers of the data on which the play is based; no detail seems to have been too little to escape investigation in the effort to combine entertainment with the great message that "Power" brings.

As to the cast: San Francisco has always been the chosen home of people of the theatre and "Power" reflects this idea. Like the drama itself the program is a list, on the right side, of actors who have achieved renown in many parts of the country and in the days of road shows, professionals of yesterday, today and tomorrow. Among them are the consumer playes by Will Vedder; Sir William Gilbert by Donald Gray; Michael Faaday by Edgar Regan; George Simon Ohm by William Harris the business men by Solly Carter, Wilbur Johnson, Mauritz Hugo, Ben Woolsey and Leon Forbes; Martin Insull by Wilbur Johnson, Mayo Mangs by J. Raymond Northcutt; Representative John E. Rankin by Rupert Drum; Mrs. Lane of 1913 and Mrs. Lane of 1926 by Kay Pickering and Geraldine Allan and the hosiery clerks by Vera Rothery and Arline Dodson. There are nealy 100 actors and all are active. "Power" should be good for a long run.

DON'T USE MILK BOTTLES EXCEPT TO HOLD MILK

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 12.—Don't use milk bottles for garden borders. Don't use milk bottles for paint pots. Don't use milk bottles when you buy cider in bulk from the barrel. Don't use milk bottles for any other purpose than to contain milk or cream.

These are the suggestions of the dairy service of the State Department of Agriculture in calling attention to a state law which makes it a misdeameanor to use milk bottles for any other purpose than that for which they were intended.

"Some people believe that when they buy milk they buy the bottle too," said a dairy service statement. "The fact is that all the customer buys is the milk; the bottle belongs to the dairy. If the price of the bottle were to be added to the price of the milk you may be sure that the total price would be much higher.

"Dairies presume that the bottle will come back to them for future use after proper sterilization. When the bottles do not come back, the amount so lost goes into the price of your milk. You may be sure of that.

"In certain areas the customer may be required to place a deposit on the bottle when purchasing milk. Under the law this does not constitute a sale. Therefore the bottle does not become the customer's property. It must be returned, and when that is done the deposit is refunded."

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APPOINTED G. V. POLICEMAN

William J. Sproul, native of Grass Valley was appointed Tuesday night, as a member of the Grass Valley police force.

CHARLES A. GRISSEL PASSES AWAY IN FRESNO

The sad news of the death of Charles A. Grissel in Fresno on Sunday, August 8, has been received by his brother John G. Grissel.

Charles Grissell, 74 years of age, was well known throughout Nevada county. He was born at Washington went to school there, later engaged in teaming, operated a butcher shop and also drove the stage between Nevada City and Washington. About 25 years ago he went to Fresno where he was engaged in the automobile business.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Jessie Grissel, a sister, Mrs. Margaret Jilbert and two brothers, John B. Grissel of Nevada City and Frank M. Grissel of Stockton.

He was a member of Nevada Lodge No. 13, F. & A. M. of Nevada City.

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SWALLOWS FIND HOME AT LIFE SCIENCES BLDG.

BERKELEY, Aug. 12. — By a strange coincidence a large colony of cliff swallows has settled into the lofty nooks and crannies in the exterior of the Life Sciences Building, largest structure on the University of California and home of the Museum of Vertebrate Zoology, which is largely given over to the study of bird life. The swallows have consistently passed up all of the other buildings on the campus for nesting purposes, although a number of these buildings apparently offer much more desirable swallow homesites than the great, exposed pile which harbors the life sciences. The museum staff, headed by Professor Joseph Grinnell, feels particularly complimented by the swallows, for the active little visitors have virtually come to the very doors of the museum's study rooms.

Another remarkable feature about the establishment of the colony is that cliff swallows were unknown on the campus for some twenty years before the Life Sciences building was reared, and the museum of vertebrate zoology placed therein, although a number of other somewhat similar buildings were erected there in that period. "It looks like they were just waiting for us to get started," a member of the museum staff remarked. Not only has a populous colony been established, but the interesting little visitors have brought something like 200 young into the world in their bottle like nests on the cliff-like facades, reaching more than a quarter of a mile around the great building.

It is thought by scientists that a colony of swallows remains on one site for the lifetime of an individual. The chance is now being afforded the bird watchers in the Life Sciences building to test out this theory, and the swallows are giving them every assistance.

GRASS HOPPER PLAGUE

Miss Elaine Townsend of this city is in receipt of letter from her brother in Colorado which stated his parents had lost their entire crop by a plague of grass hoppers. He said they came in such swarms they shut out the sun and sounded like an airplane as they moved in a mass over the land and crops, eating everything possible before them. The state militia were called out to help spread poison and airplanes also sprayed the insects to help kill them off.

George Willard is working in Rocklyn. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Willard of Walwrath avenue.

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BORDER STATION CONTROL HALTS PLANT PESTS

By RALPH H. TAYLOR

California border quarantine stations are efficiently administered and have prevented the introduction into California of plant pests and diseases which have proved disastrous to agriculture in many other areas.

The border inspectors, during 1936, examined 944,750 automobiles entering the state and intecepted 25,887 lots of plants or plant products infested with serious pests, or in violation of quarantine regulations.

In highlight summary, such are the findings of a special investigating committee of the State Chamber of Commerce, which recently concluded an exhaustive inquiry into "the value and necessity of border quarantine."

The committee found that—

"Many serious pests established in other parts of the nation do not occur in California, some of the more important being the cotton boll weevil, Colorado potato beetle, Japanese beetle, Oriental fruit moth, cherry fruit flies, European corn borer, Mexican fruit fly ap,ple magot."

"California is surrounded by natural barriers, including deserts, mountains and oceans, so there is unusual opportunity for quarantines to be effective."

"Annual costs to growers for controlling pests and diseases introduced into California bfeore quarantines were established are enormous. One instance: the red scale of citrus which is estimated to cost $1,100,000 yearly."

"Many California crops because of costs of land, irrigation and transportation return a narrow margin of profit which easily could be wiped out by a major pest."

Most significant in the committee's findings, perhaps, is the fact that only one pest—the alfalfa weevil—has been introduced into California since the border quarantine service was established, while during the same period nearly a dozen new pests were brought nito other parts of the country from abroad.

Seeking to improve the Plant Inspection Service and eliminate unnecessary inconvenience to the public, the investtigating committee made three major recommendations:

1 That adequate facilities be provided at all stations to care for travelers while inspection is being performed.

2 That border stations of the Plant Quarantine Service and border stations of the State Motor Vehicle Department be combined for the convenience of the traveler. (In many instances this has already been accomplished.)

3 That an inquiry be made to determine whether the baggage of people traveling on trains should be searched for contraband. Inquiries a few years ago indicated that this type of traveler did not present a sufficient agricultural pest menace to justify a special train inspection service.

In conclusion, the committee found that "border quarantines are of intimable value to the state, are being efficiently administered, and should be maintained at a high lever or efficiency."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crampton came down from their mining property near Big Tunnel yesterday enruote to San Francisco to spend a few days. Mr. Crampton returned Saturday Los Angeles where he was called when his mother suffered a slight stroke, a week ago. She is somewhat improved but he may go down from San Francisco for a day to visit her.

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MURCHIE NINE UNCHALLENGED FOR PLAYOFF

Tommy Thompson, manager of the North Star baseball team of Grass Valley and winner of the first half of the Gold League games has notified Manager Dan Ungaro of the Murchies, winners in nine straight games in the second half, that there will be no playoff as it is felt the Murchie team could not be defeated.

Commencing Sunday the Murchie team will play the Grass Valley Braves three games, the first one to be on Pioneers Park diamond at Nevada City.

The last game of the Lava Cap mine baseball nine was played with the North Star team on Watt park in Grass Valley and resulted in a 3 to 3 tie. This is the second tie between the two teams. The Lava Cap boys played the CCC team on Pioneers Park diamond at Nevada City last evening.

Joseph Huy, Nevada City postal clerk, was called to San Francisco Tuesday by the sudden illness of his son.

CHAS. W. KITTS BORNE TO REST TODAY IN S. F.

Funeral services for the late Charles W. Kitts will be held in San Francisco this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock under the auspices of the Elks Lodge.

Charles Kitts, 81 years of age, at his home in San Francisco, after a prolonged illness. Deceased was born in Yuba county and as a young man came to Grass Valley where he became one of the best known attorneys of Nevada county. His son, Leonard T. Kitts passed away only a few weeks ago. Surviving deceased are his wife, Mrs. Emma D. Kitts; a daughter, Mrs. R. P. McLaughlin of South Pasadena and three brothers, J. M. Kitts, Fall Brook, San Diego county; Herbert S. Kitts of Hayward, and Lisle E. Kitts of Berkeley.

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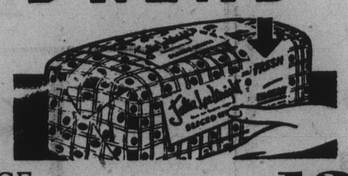

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Twentieth Century-Fox's most spectacular production of the year, "Slave Ship" co-stars Warner Baxter and Wallace Beery in a pulsing tale of the slave-trading era, with Elizabeth Allan and Mickey Rooney among those on the boat as, with decks reddened by mutiny, it roams the seas on its final fury-racked voyage.

In the most colorful role of a colorful career, Warner Baxter plays Captain Jim Lovett, romantic scourge of two seas, who defies the navies of the world is betrayed by a shipmate, and fights at last for love in the greatest seat adventure of them all.

Wallace Beery, whose long list of shipboard roles reads like a veritable history of the salt water cinema, sinks his teeth into a meaty role that presents him as the villainous mate of the slaver—big-fisted, bull-headed, genial, and treacherous to his dying breath, one minute a roaring beast, the next, a gentle child; friend and foe alike to the captain he serves—and betrays.

"Slave Ship" traces the tempestuous career of a swift bark engaged in the slave trade, and its courageous captain, Warner Baxter, who planned to retire from "blackbirding" to settle down to a new life with his young bride, Elizabeth Allan.

As they sail on Baxter's boat on the honeymoon cruise which is to mark the end of its days as a slaver, they find that they hav ebeen betrayed by the mate, Wallace Beery, and the crew, avid for more slaving profits. The honeymoon cruise is turned into a voyage in which they are continually brought face to face with danger and death.

Sought by the navies of every nation, and torn by mutiny aboard, the slave ship sails on through adventures on the high seas and along the African coast, and it is a dramatic climax which clears the future for the captive couple and sends the ill-fated slaver to its ominous destiny.

The story of "Slave Ship," which is based on the novel by George S. King, was written by William Faulkner, and the screen play is the work of Sam Hellman, Lamar Trotti and Gladys Lehman. George Sanders, Jane Darwell and Joseph Schildkraut are among those who appear in the huge cast.

Darryl F. Zanuck, vice president in charge of productio nat Twentieth Century-Fox, chose Tay Garnett to direct, with Nunnally Johison as associate producer.

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Mrs. Will Holland has had as visitors the following relatives, her mother, Mrs. Tenney; sister Mrs. A. J. Mitchell and daughter, Barbara Jean Mitchell, of San Louis Obispo. They left for their homes Monday.

Ed Skewes, Standard Oil company agent of San Jose arrived Wednesday and is visiting his mother, Mrs. C. C. Skewes of Grass Valley during his vacation.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF the County of Nevada, State of California, will meet Friday, August 20, 1937, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of considering the Preliminary Budget of the County of Nevada for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1938, copies of which are on file for distribution in the office of the County Clerk and Auditor at the Court House, Nevada City, California.

Any person desiring to appear for or against any of the allotments set out in said budget is invited to attend said meeting of the Board and discuss the same before final approval of said budget which must be on or before August 31, 1937.

R. N. McCORMACK.
Clerk Board of Supervisors.

SHERIFF'S SALE
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER EXECUTION

DON K. HOSTER, Plaintiff, vs. J. P. BURNS, Defendant.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice's Court of Sacramento Township, County of Sacramento, State of California, wherein DON K. HOSTER was plaintiff and J. P. BURNS was defendant, upon a judgment rendered the 6th day of May, 1937, in the sum of $800.00 (Eight Hundred) Dollars, lawful money of the United States, besides costs and interest, I have levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, J. P. Burns, of, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit:

Alta Mesa Placer Mining Claim: The S. W. corner of claim is 20 ft. S. W. of Natural Spring of water in rock channel; all monuments iron post 3 to 4 ft. high; from S. W. corner of claim 1320 ft. to S. E. corner; S. E. corner 660 ft. to N. E. corner; from N. E. corner 1320 ft. to N. W. corner; from N. W. corner 660 ft. to S. W. corner; lying in Sec. 16, Tp. 18, N. R. 10 E. M. D. M. containing 20 acres more or less, as the same is described in a mining claim filed and recorded in Book 31, at Page 409, of Mining Claims, in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Nevada, State of California.

also described as follows, to-wit:

Alta Mesa Claim: Commencing 20 ft. SW of Natural Spring, thence from Iron Post to SE cor. 1320 ft., iron post, thence to NE cor. 660 ft., iron post, thence to NW cor. 1320 ft., iron post, thence to SW cor. 660 ft., to place of beginning, lying in SE¼ and SW¼ of NE¼ Sec. 16, Twp. 18, Rg. 10 E. M. D. M. containing twenty acres more or less, as the same is described in a mining claim filed and on record in Book 31, at Page 409, of Mining Claims, and as amended and filed at page 414, Book 31, in the Office of the County Recorder of the County of Nevada, State of California, and as such claim appears in amended form of Page 414, Volume 31, of mining claims in the office of the County Recorder, of the County of Nevada, State of California:

High Hope Bank Mining Claim: The N. W. corner of claim is 125 Ft. W. from Natural Spring; all monuments are of stone with posts standing horizontal; from N. W. corner to S. W. corner South 600 feet.; from S. W. corner to S. E. corner East 1500 feet.; from S. E. corner North to N. E. corner 600 ft.; from N. E. corner 1500 ft. West to N. W. corner, lying in Sec. 16, Tp. 18, N. R. 10 E. M. D. M. as the same is fully set forth in a mining claim as recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Nevada County in Book 31, Page 415 of Mining Claims.

also described as follows, to-wit:

High Hope Bank Claim: Commencing at a stake 125 ft. West of a Natural Spring which is NW cor. thence southerly to SW cor., 600 ft., thence right angle to SE cor., 1500 ft., thence right angle to NE cor. 600 ft. thence, right angle, to NW corner 1500 ft., in NW¼ of NE¼ of NW¼ of SE¼ of Section 16, Twp. 18, N. R. 10 E. M. D. M. containing 20 acres more or less, and as fully set forth in a mining claim on record in Volume 31, at Page 415 of mining claims in the Office of the County Recorder, in the County of Nevada, State of California:

Public notice is heeby given that I will, on the 28th day of August, 1937, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, in front of the County Court House door, in Nevada City, County of Nevada, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder for lawful money of the United States, all the right, title, claim and interest of said Defendant, J. P. BURNS, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc.

Dated: Nevada City, this 4th day of August, 1937.

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Social Events

Carl Tobiassen, Jr. Host At Gay Card Party

Carl Tobiassen, Jr., entertained about twenty young friends at a barn dance Friday evening. It was sort of a farewell to his classmates and friends as he is preparing to enter University of Nevada, at Reno, shortly where he will study forestry.

Electric lights were strung about the big lawn and lively music furnished all a gay time. Refreshments consisted of sandwiches, cake and watermelons.

Robert C. Barker and Marion Shoemake Wed in Modesto

A wedding of much interest to Nevada City people took place in Modesto at 8:30 on August 7 when Robert Channing Barker of Nevada City, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barker took as his bride Miss Marion Shoemake of Modesto.

The bride, gowned in white marquisette with deep lace insertion and wearing a finger tip length bridal veil, was given in marriage by her brother, Carson Shoemake in the drawing room of the colonial type home of the Shoemake family in Modesto. Miss Jean Shoemake, sister of the bride was her attendant. Edgar Morgan Barker brother of the groom was best man. Mrs. Shoemake, mother of the bride was gowned in black with white gardenias. The grooms mother, Mrs. E. E. Barker wore a deep blue lace.

Attending the wedding from Nevada City were Mrs. Frank Nilon, great aunt of the groom, Mrs. E. E. Barker and Miss Helen Barker, sister of the groom.

Following a honeymoon at Tahoe and Yosemite the happy young couple will reside in San Francisco.

Miss Gertrude Marriott to Wed S. F. Physician

Miss Gertrude Marriott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Marriott of this city, will be married Saturday in San Francisco to Dr. H. H. Summerfield.

Miss Marriott, a charming young woman, is a graduate from the local schools, and St. Marys Academy in Grass Valley. After completing her course in the local schools she attended University of California, later entering St. Mary's hospital in San Francisco graduating as a nurse. The young woman has a splendid record for high averages in all her work, throughout her school years.

Dr. Sommerfield is a graduate from Stanford University Medical College and is a practicing physician in San Francisco.

They will reside in San Francisco after a honeymoon. The entire community in which Miss Marriott has been reared joins with many friends in the bay district in wishing for the couple all possible happiness.

VANDELEUR HITS C. I. O. AGITATION AS COMMUNISTIC

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 12.—The Communist-C. I. O. combine, frustrated in an attempt to control 60,000 California cannery workers, is now attmpting to "move in" on agricultural field workers and stop the flow of crops to the canneries.

This charge was made today by Edward D. Vandeleur, secretary of the California State Federation of Labor, in an open letter to cannery and field workers.

"Orderly and speedy strategy of the California State Federation of Labor prevented the combine from ruining the canning industry with resultant losses to labor," Vandeleur said. "Now the field workers are their intended victims in the plot to wreck the farm and canning industry and rob the pockets of the farm workers. They have no intention of obtaining better conditions for the workers. Get their money is the program."

The letter reviews efforts of the Communist-C. I. O. combine to organize cannery workers, failure of their drive, and success of the A. F. of L. in organizing more than 60,000 cannery workers, winning of wage increases and other betterments.

"Having failed miserably in the cannery sell out scheme, the red borers are now setting a trap for the field workers," Vandeleur's letter says. "The combine's threat is to stop field crops from going into the canneries, thereby hoping to throw honest cannery workers out of employment.

"'This is part of their program of destruction of industry and the right of honest workers to earn a livelihood," he warns. "It means an empty pocketbook for you. The cannery workers have protected themselves against the combine. It is now up to the field workes to do the same."

The letter sets up six issues, and discusses each. They are: majority rule versus minority rule, democracy versus autocracy, reason versus force, Americanism versus Communism, sincerity versus insincerity, and honesty versus dishonesty.

It cites the vote of many A. F. of L. groups, local, state and national in favor of the parent body after weighing the C. I. O. menace. It charges the C. I. O. with preaching democratic control and being a most flagrant violator of the principle.

LAVA CAP WINS OVER CCC NINE

The Lava Cap nine, in a brilliant play in the last half of last inning, last evening in Pioneers park, overcame a lead which the CCC boys had established early in the game and won, 7 to 6. Herb Costa of the Lava Caps knocked a home run during the game, which has seldom happened, and another Cap stole three bases in the last inning which scored the seventh run.

Next Sunday afternoon the Murchie team will play the Grass Valley Braves on the Pioneers diamond.

SIDEWALKS AND STREET PAVING

WPA crews under city supervision started laying cement at the Colley property on lower Nevada street Wednesday morning and will continue on up the street. Men are also cutting lines and grading on the street at the Fred Sauvee property at the foot of Boulder street. Chief of Police Robson interviewed property owners in that section early in the week. Several property owners on Park avenue will also have paving done.

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Personal

Ernest H. Mohr business man of this city spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Sacramento on business.

Miss Esther Tremaine, local high school teacher returned Tuesday from summer school at Berkeley. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Mrs. James Roberts and three children, Barbara, John and Jane Ella of Kentfield. Mrs. Roberts is the daughter of the late John Roberts. Mrs. R. Tremaine is an aunt. Mrs. Roberts will also visit an uncle, Stephen Roberts and Mrs. Roberts of this city.

Joe Blatch and oldest daughter who live at the eastern Nevada City limits returned early this week from a trip into Wyoming. Mr. Blatch was so anxious to get home he drove the last 300 miles without any stops.

George McKinney of Maxwell spent Thursday in Nevada City visiting friends and enjoying a short stay.

Miss Clarice Holland will return from Lake Tahoe Sunday and spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Will Holland before she returns to her studies at University of California, August 17.

Miss Elsie Schreiber has returned from a vacation spent in San Francisco.

Mrs. Stuart McDonald of St. Helena and her sister in law, Mrs. Derby Wilson of Trinity county were guests of the H. M. Leetes early in the week.

Byron L. Eastman, left for British Columbia Thursday morning where he will spend the next two months.

Miss Maire Minarich of Eureka is visiting her brother, John Minarich, and family in Nevada City this week. She will also visit in Oakland before returning home.

Miss Rhea Rupert and brother, Baun Rupert, are at Camp Piedmont Camp Fire Girls camp on Lake Vera. It is expected a number of counselors and friends will drive up from the bay district to spend Labor Day in the cool camp.

Mr and M.rs. Carribean Orzalli had as guests Mrs. Orzalli's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Woodyard and three cousins of Los Angeles. They arrived Tuesday and remained until Thursday going back by way of Marysville where they will spend several days visiting other relatives.

Alice Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Graham, is visiting in Sacramento.

Jane Bennett, daughter of Mr. and and Mrs. Ellsworth Bennett, is visiting in Lovelock, Nevada.

Carl Kopp son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Kopp is visiting on a vacation at Russian river.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gaylord and family will arrive from Sacramento today to spend a ten day vacation at their summer home Gaycrest at Town Talk.

Clem Organ, local boy will leave next week to enter St. Marys College in Moraga Valley. He will register to enter school about August 23.

Robert Schiffner, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Schiffner of this city, will leave next week to attend University of California.

Mrs. J. E. Marriott, who has been spending the week in San Francisco, with her daughter, Miss Gertrude Marriott, will return to Nevada City Saturday.

Dick Marriott, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Marriott of this city, will leave Saturday for San Francisco to enter University of San Francisco. He has been assisting his brother, Elmer Marriott, in his ice cream plant in this city during vacation.

Billie Plumber, who has been at Graeagle, Plumas county during his vacation, arrived in Nevada City Wednesday to spend a few days with his aunt, Miss Plummer. He will return to St. Mary's College in Moraga Valley, about the 22 of August and enter as a junior.

Mr. and Mrs. Norval Goodwill of times we tire of the regular cold Goodwill's mother, Mrs. E. Walmsley of the News Shop, left Wednesday. Miss Elinore Walmsley who has been visiting them and other relatives in the bay district also returned to Nevada City.

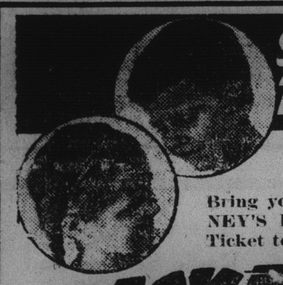
Mrs. Edith Davey, with the Bank of America in Nevada City and Mrs. Pearl Stennett of Grass Valley are enjoying a vacation motoring through the northwest. They plan to visit Victoria, B. C., and Lake Louise, Canada.

Miss Myrtle Kent of Bisbee, Arizona, niece of Constable William Jeffrey, arrived Monday and is visiting for several days with the Jeffrey family.

John Muscardini, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Muscardini is seriously ill at his home on Sacramento street. The illness started when young Muscardini ran a nail through his foot.

Robert Schiffner and Clem Organ are enjoying a two weeks vacation in the southern part of the state. When last heard from they were enjoying the sights of Hollywood.

Miss Sally Sawyer, formerly of the Nevada City Nugget staff, is working on the Sacramento Union. She began her new work this week.



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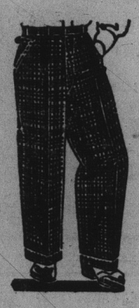

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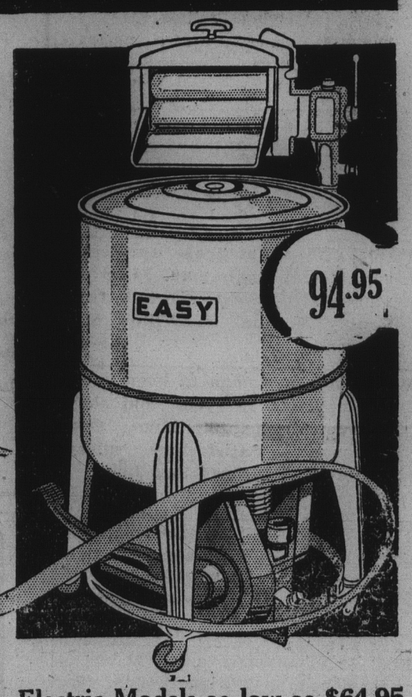

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